

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
KOJI KIMURA)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2627
Application No.: 10/567,651)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2473
Filed: February 9, 2006)	
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For: STORAGE DEVICE,)	
CARTRIDGE, AND CARTRIDGE	:	
MANUFACTURING METHOD)	April 4, 2007

Commissioner for Patents
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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